

Myron Scarbrough collection

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Summary Information

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| Repository | Rare Books and Manuscripts |
| Creator | Gordon, Troy, 1920-1981 |
| Creator | Leibowitz, Irving, 1922-1979 |
| Creator | Mannweiler, David |
| Creator | Salzanulo, Frank, 1911-1989 |
| Creator | Scarbrough, Myron, 1921-1991 |
| Creator | Wildhack, Bill, 1911-1972 |
| Title | Myron Scarbrough collection |
| Date | 1961-1976, undated |
| Extent | 0.6 Cubic feet 2 manuscript boxes |
| Language | English |

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Myron Scarbrough was born February 21, 1921 in Indianapolis, Indiana to William and Lyndal Scarbrough. He was an army veteran of World War II and graduated from Butler University in 1947. He was the managing editor of Taylor Publishing Company for 37 years and wrote quips and one-liners that appeared in many local and national publications. He married Ruth O'Hara (1924-2009) in 1946 and they had three daughters. Mr. Scarbrough spent his life making people laugh and passed away on March 7, 1991.

Sources:

Information within collection.

Ancestry.com. "Myron A. Scarbrough." *Indiana Death Certificates, 1899-2011*. Accessed September 2, 2016. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com/>.

"Myron A. Scarbrough." *The Indianapolis Star* (IN), March 8, 1991.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains clippings a several different newspaper columns that have quips and one-liners from Myron Scarbrough. The clippings include Irving Leibowitz's *Indianapolis Times* column (1961-1965), Troy Gordon's *Tulsa World* column, "Round the Clock"(1962-1976), and the *Indianapolis News*, "Don't Quote Me", column by Bill Wildhack, Frank Salzarulo, David Mannweiler, and other writers (1965-1974). Also included are clippings of Myron Scarbrough's column, "Quipograms", from the *National Tattler* (1970), his "Neighborhood Winks" column written for the North Eastside Community Organization (NESCO) (undated), some miscellaneous clippings from various publications (1962-1973), and a thank you letter from Irving Leibowitz (July 15, 1963).

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Conditions Governing Access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

Legal title, copyright, and literary rights reside with Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN. All requests to publish or quote from manuscripts must be submitted to Rare Books and Manuscripts.

Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from Ruth Scarbrough in 1991/12.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing completed 2016/09/12 by Laura Eliason. EAD finding aid created 2016/09/12 by Laura Eliason.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Newspapers--Sections, columns, etc.

Collection Inventory

| | Box | Folder |
|--|------------|---------------|
| Myron Scarbrough letter, 1963/07/15 | 1 | 1 |
| Irving Leibowitz newspaper column, 1961-1962 | 1 | 2 |
| Irving Leibowitz newspaper column, 1963 | 1 | 3 |
| Irving Leibowitz newspaper column, 1964 | 1 | 4 |
| Irving Leibowitz newspaper column, 1965 | 1 | 5 |
| Irving Leibowitz newspaper column, undated | 1 | 6 |
| Troy Gordon "Round the Clock" column, 1962-1965 | 1 | 7 |
| Troy Gordon "Round the Clock" column, 1966-1967 | 1 | 8 |
| Troy Gordon "Round the Clock" column, 1968-1969 | 1 | 9 |
| Troy Gordon "Round the Clock" column, 1970-1976, undated | 1 | 10 |
| Bill Wildhack "Don't Quote Me" newspaper column, 1965-1966 | 2 | 1 |
| Bill Wildhack "Don't Quote Me" newspaper column, 1965-1966 | 2 | 2 |

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| Bill Wildhack "Don't Quote Me" newspaper column, 1969-1972, undated | 2 | 3 |
| Frank Salzarulo "Don't Quote Me" newspaper column, 1966-1972 | 2 | 4 |
| David Mannweiler "Don't Quote Me" newspaper column, 1967-1974 | 2 | 5 |
| "Don't Quote Me" newspaper column, various writers, 1965-1966 | 2 | 6 |
| Myron Scarbrough "Quipograms" and "Neighborhood Winks" columns, 1970 and undated | 2 | 7 |
| Miscellaneous clippings, 1961-1973 | 2 | 8 |